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House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, March 13, 2014

The House of Representatives was called to order at 9:00 A.M., by the Honorable Chuck Kleckley, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Gaines	Mack
Adams	Garofalo	Miller
Anders	Gisclair	Montoucet
Armes	Greene	Moreno
Arnold	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Badon	Harris	Norton
Barras	Harrison	Ortego
Barrow	Havard	Pearson
Berthelot	Hazel	Pierre
Billiot	Henry	Ponti
Bishop, S.	Hill	Pope
Bishop, W.	Hodges	Price
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Pugh
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Richard
Burns, H.	Howard	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Hunter	Seabaugh
Burrell	Huval	Shadoin
Carmody	Ivey	Simon
Carter	Jackson, T.	Smith
Champagne	James	St. Germain
Chaney	Jefferson	Stokes
Connick	Johnson	Talbot
Cox	Jones	Thibaut
Cromer	Lambert	Thierry
Danahay	Landry, N.	Whitney
Dixon	Landry, T.	Williams, A.
Dove	LeBas	Williams, P.
Edwards	Leger	Willmott
Fannin	Leopold	Woodruff
Foil	Lopinto	
Franklin	Lorusso	
Total - 94		

The Speaker announced that there were 94 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Broadwater.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Honore led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Rep. Hill, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Hill, the Journal of March 12, 2014, was adopted.

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following entitled House Bills and Joint Resolutions which were read the first time by their titles and, under a suspension of the rules, were referred to committee as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1030—

BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMPSON, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARMES, BARRAS, BERTHELOT, STUART BISHOP, BROADWATER, BROWN, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANEY, CONNICK, CROMER, FANNIN, FOIL, GEYMAN, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAVARD, HAZEL, HENRY, HOFFMANN, HOWARD, KLECKLEY, NANCY LANDRY, LEOPOLD, LORUSSO, MACK, JAY MORRIS, PEARSON, PONTI, POPE, PRICE, PUGH, PYLANT, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, ROBIDEAUX, SCHEXNAYDER, SEABAUGH, SHADAIN, STOKES, TALBOT, THIBAUT, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS ADLEY, CHABERT, JOHNS, LONG, GARY SMITH, THOMPSON, AND WARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:447(A) and (B), 461(A)(1), 463(A)(1)(d), 464(E), and 1280.22(A) and (B)(2)(d) and to repeal R.S. 18:464(C), (D), (G), and (H), relative to political party committees; to repeal provisions that authorize the imposition on candidates of additional fees by certain political party committees; to repeal provisions relative to notice and use of such fees; to repeal provisions prohibiting clerks of court from retaining a portion of such fees; to provide relative to the use of such fees previously collected; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions
Lying Over**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents, in consultation with the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System, the Board of Supervisors of Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, to study the feasibility of implementing a college tuition program that would allow students to pay tuition after leaving college and to submit a written report of findings and conclusions, including any recommendations for legislation relative to the issue, to the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education not later than sixty days prior to the beginning of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

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Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1027—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:34.8, relative to battery; to create the crime of battery of an emergency medical provider; to provide for the elements of the offense; to provide for criminal penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 1271(A), 1272(A), (B), and (C), 1273, and 1276 and R.S. 40:39.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (D), 41(B)(1), 73(B), 77(B) and (D), and 79(A)(4) and to enact Children's Code Articles 1271(D), 1272(E), and 1272.1 and R.S. 40:80, relative to birth records; to provide procedures for a birth parent to file a contact preference form and updated statement of family history; to authorize birth parents to prohibit the release of certain identifying information; to provide procedures for an adult adoptee to obtain a noncertified copy of his original birth certificate and statement of family history; to authorize the state registrar to promulgate rules for the issuance of a noncertified copy of a birth certificate in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1029—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TERRY LANDRY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:336, relative to offenses against the public; to create the crime of unlawful aiming of a laser at an aircraft; to provide for definitions; to provide for criminal penalties; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committee

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONORE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.4(D), relative to pardons; to provide relative to applications for pardons by persons serving a life sentence; to reduce the length of time the applicant is

required to wait before filing a subsequent application after a denial; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 18—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 15:550, 571.32, and 571.35, relative to pilot programs for alternative methods of incarceration and electronic monitoring; to repeal the authorization of certain statutorily created pilot programs.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 56—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(7)(a) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(5)(f), relative to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 62—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1856.1(A), (B)(introductory paragraph) and (3)(a), (C)(3), (D), and (E) and to enact R.S. 22:1856.1(B)(10) and (11), relative to pharmacy record audits; to provide for standards and requirements concerning pharmacy record audit procedures; to provide for conditions under which recoupment of certain reimbursements to pharmacies may occur; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 62 by Representative Pugh

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "(B)(3)(a)," and insert in lieu thereof "(B)(introductory paragraph) and (3)(a),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, delete "(B)(3)(a)," and insert in lieu thereof "(B)(introductory paragraph) and (3)(a),"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:

"(e) The pharmacy received reimbursement based on incorrect information it submitted on the initial claim."

On motion of Rep. Simon, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Simon, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 131—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:255.1, relative to retired or former law enforcement officers; to provide for the payment of witness fees to retired or former law enforcement officers in certain cases; to provide for the procedure for collection and payment of fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 185—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1031(A) and 1033(A)(introductory paragraph), relative to care for individuals receiving certain home- and community-based services; to provide for applicability of laws relative to services rendered by direct service workers; to revise criteria for individuals who are served by direct service workers; to provide for requirements relative to authorization for direct service workers to perform certain procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

On motion of Rep. Simon, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 15:751, 823, 825, 834, 835, 838, 840, 840.2, and 1131, relative to prisons and correctional institutions; to repeal antiquated and obsolete provisions regarding prisons and correctional institutions.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 195—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(7) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(5)(g), relative to the Department of Children and Family Services, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Children and Family Services and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 195 by Representative Simon

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "R.S. 49:191(7)(a)" to "R.S. 49:191(7)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 21, change "R.S. 49:191(7)(a)" to "R.S. 49:191(7)"

On motion of Rep. Simon, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Simon, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 206—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(7) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(5)(o), relative to the Department of State Civil Service, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of State Civil Service and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 206 by Representative Danahay

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 10, before "The" insert "(a)"

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 226—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:469(C) and to repeal R.S. 18:469(B), relative to the reopening of qualifying; to remove the requirement that qualifying be reopened due to no candidate qualifying or due to the number of candidates qualifying for an office being fewer than the number of positions to be filled in that office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 244—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BROADWATER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.2(C)(3) and to enact R.S. 17:3361.1, relative to facilities of public postsecondary education institutions; to provide with respect to leases to nonprofit corporations or associations to hold fundraisers that include the auctioning or sale of firearms; to provide with respect to conditions of such leases; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 244 by Representative Broadwater

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, after line 8, insert the following:

"(4) The firearms to be auctioned are equipped with a safety lock or other safety feature that renders the firearm nonoperational."

On motion of Rep. Carter, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Carter, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 324—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 12:2.1, relative to certain confidential data in the possession of the Department of State; to authorize the disclosure of electronic mail addresses and short message service numbers to certain persons and entities; to provide for the maintenance of the confidentiality of the data; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 324 by Representative Leger

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "entities;" insert "to provide for the maintenance of the confidentiality of the data;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 17, after "State." insert the following:

"A governmental entity, agency, official, or employee which receives electronic mail addresses or short message service numbers pursuant to this Subsection shall not disclose the electronic mail addresses or short message service numbers and shall maintain the confidentiality of the electronic mail addresses and short message service numbers."

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 331—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LOPINTO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:664(A) and (B) and 666(A)(1)(a)(i), relative to chemical tests for intoxication; to authorize certain persons to withdraw blood and administer such tests; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 365—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO AND BROADWATER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:18(D) and to enact R.S. 18:154(C)(2)(d), relative to certain voter information and data; to authorize the secretary of state to enter into certain agreements to share certain voter information or data; to provide for the purposes of such agreements; to require certain provisions; to provide relative to the confidentiality of certain voter information and data; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 383—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:58(B), 104(A)(15), 154(C)(1)(introductory paragraph), (D)(3), and (G)(introductory paragraph), 425(A)(1)(b), 433(B)(8), 435(B), 465(E)(1)(a), 531.1(B), 566.2(B), 571(A)(6) and (7), 573(B), 1284(F)(1), 1299.1(A), 1300.3(A) and (B)(1), 1300.7(A), 1300.32(A) and (B)(1), 1302(2), 1308(A)(1)(b), (h)(i), and (i), 1309(M)(1)(a), 1353(B) and (C)(2), 1361(A) and (B), and 1362, to enact R.S. 18:154(D)(4) and (F)(3), and to repeal R.S. 18:174 and Part I-A of Chapter 5 of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 18:411 through 417, relative to the Louisiana Election Code; to revise the system of laws

comprising the Louisiana Election Code; to provide relative to the duties of registrars of voters; to require registrars to assign voters according to voting districts; to provide deadlines; to provide relative to requirements and procedures for application for voter registration; to provide relative to disclosure of certain voter information; to repeal provisions requiring certain reports regarding changes of name and remarriage; to repeal provisions applicable to certain elections held in 1992; to provide relative to the selection of commissioners and commissioners-in-charge; to provide relative to the deadline for filing a list of watchers; to provide relative to the deadline for submitting a nominating petition; to provide relative to notification that a polling place will not be opened; to provide relative to the counting and tabulation of votes; to provide relative to the verification of election results; to provide relative to requirements for a proposition submitted to the voters at an election; to provide relative to the deadline for certifying a recall petition; to provide relative to the deadline for removing or adding a signature to a recall petition; to provide relative to the deadline for the governor to issue a proclamation ordering a recall election; to provide relative to certain deadlines for petitions relative to neighborhood and crime prevention districts; to provide relative to early voting at additional locations; to provide relative to procedures and requirements for absentee voting by mail; to provide relative to voting machines and absentee by mail and early voting counting equipment; to provide relative to the authority of the secretary of state relative to voting machines and absentee by mail and early voting counting equipment; to provide relative to the ownership of voting machines; to provide relative to parish board commissioners; to provide relative to the counting and tabulation of absentee by mail, early voting, and provisional ballots; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 383 by Representative Tim Burns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 4, after "531.1(B)," and before "571(A)(6)" insert "566.2(B)."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "1300.32(A) and (B)(1)," and before "1308(A)(1)(b)," insert "1302(2)."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 10, after "voting machines;" and before "to provide for" insert "to provide relative to parish board commissioners; to provide relative to the counting and tabulation of absentee by mail, early voting, and provisional ballots;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the end of line 14, insert "566.2(B)."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 16, after "1300.32(A) and (B)(1)," and before "1308(A)(1)(b)," insert "1302(2)."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, line 16, after "signature of the applicant" delete "may" and insert "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 6, after line 26, insert the following:

"§566.2. Tabulation and counting of provisional ballots for federal office

* * *

B. The parish board of election supervisors in each parish shall be responsible for the counting and tabulation of all provisional ballots for federal office. The board may utilize ~~absentee by mail and early voting~~ parish board commissioners to count the provisional ballots in the parish. If the board determines that ~~absentee by mail and early voting~~ parish board commissioners are necessary to count and tabulate the provisional ballots, it shall select ~~absentee by mail and early voting~~ parish board commissioners in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 18:1314(D). In a parish where no ~~absentee by mail and early voting~~ parish board commissioners are utilized during the counting and tabulation of absentee by mail and early voting ballots, the board may utilize commissioners to count the provisional ballots. The selection and compensation of such commissioners to count and tabulate provisional ballots shall be in the same manner as ~~absentee by mail and early voting~~ parish board commissioners as provided for in R.S. 18:1314(D) and (E).

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AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 9, line 4, after "state." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 5 and 6

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 9, line 10, after "presented to him for that purpose." and before "Each registrar" insert the following:

"If the final day for the registrar to certify the recall petition falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, then the next day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday shall be deemed to be the final day for certifying the recall petition."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 11, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

"§1302. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the following terms shall have the meanings hereafter ascribed to each:

* * *

(2) "Board" means the parish board of election supervisors of each parish. If ~~absentee by mail and early voting~~ parish board commissioners are utilized by the parish board of election supervisors to count and tabulate absentee ~~votes by mail and early voting~~ ballots, the term "board" for the purposes of R.S. 18:1306, 1311, 1312, 1313, 1315, and 1316 ~~may shall~~ also mean ~~absentee by mail and early voting~~ parish board commissioners.

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AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 12, line 21, after "each voted ballot" and before "as confidential" delete "that was transmitted electronically"

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 414—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAZEL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 814(A)(26) and (27), relative to responsive verdicts; to provide changes in responsive verdicts for theft and attempted theft; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 428—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BARRAS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:461(B), relative to qualifying for an election; to repeal provisions of law that allow for a refund of qualifying fees under certain circumstances when a candidate files multiple notices of candidacy; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 432—

BY REPRESENTATIVE TIM BURNS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(7) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(5)(n), relative to the Department of State, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of State and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 432 by Representative Tim Burns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 10, before "The" insert "(a)"

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Tim Burns, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 433—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CARTER, BROADWATER, CHAMPAGNE, HOLLIS, IVEY, JEFFERSON, REYNOLDS, RICHARD, SHADOIN, AND SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1808(J)(1) and (K) and 3141.15(G) and to enact R.S. 17:1808(L) and 3141.15(H), relative to reciprocity agreements that provide for interstate, online, postsecondary education; to authorize the Board of Regents to enter into and administer such agreements; to provide for participation by institutions in interstate, online education; to provide for application fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 433 by Representative Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, line 4, after "one" and before "state" delete "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 5, after "other" and before "states" delete "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the end of line 9, delete "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 17, after "another" and before "state" delete "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 28, after "one" and before "state" delete "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, delete "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 6, after "other" and before "states" delete "member"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, at the beginning of line 14, delete "member"

On motion of Rep. Carter, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Carter, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 476—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1554(A)(7), relative to insurance producer licenses; to allow the commissioner of insurance to deny, refuse to renew, or revoke an insurance producer license

under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Insurance.

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 544—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:206, relative to the crime of fire prevention interference; to add elements to the crime; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 544 by Representative Adams

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 11, after "life" and before "systems" insert "safety"

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 588—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VIII, Sections 5(B)(1), 6(B)(1), 7(B)(1), and 7.1(B)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to add Article VIII, Section 8(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to governance of postsecondary education; to provide that members of the postsecondary education management boards and the Board of Regents shall have qualifications as provided by law; to provide relative to qualifications for certain such boards; to provide for implementation; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Education with recommendation that it be recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 588 by Representative Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "law;" and before "to provide" insert "to provide relative to qualifications for certain such boards;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 1, after "board" and before "be" change "should" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, line 7, after "board" and before "be" change "should" to "shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 28, after "law" and before "and to" insert a comma "," and "to require diversity in membership of the Board of Regents and the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges,"

On motion of Rep. Carter, the amendments were adopted.

Under the rules, the above bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and recommitted to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 647—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:369(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 22:362(C), 369(A)(5), and 369.1, relative to vehicle mechanical breakdown insurers; to permit the commissioner of insurance to levy a fine; to provide that mechanical breakdown insurers shall notify the commissioner of insurance within sixty days of any material change in its ownership, control, or other circumstance affecting its qualifications for a license; to provide that the commissioner may levy a fine, suspend, or revoke a license for failing to comply with the law or a lawful order of the commissioner; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to pay the annual license renewal fee; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to file the annual audited financial statement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 647 by Representative Hunter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 22:362(C)," insert "369(A)(5), and 369.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "relative to" insert "vehicle"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "license;" insert "to provide that the commissioner may levy a fine, suspend, or revoke a license for failing to comply with the law or a lawful order of the commissioner; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to pay the annual license renewal fee; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to file the annual audited financial statement;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

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On page 1, line 10, after "R.S. 22:362(C)" delete "is" and insert in lieu thereof a comma "," and "and 369(A)(5), and 369.1 are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 6, after "dollars" insert "per violation"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, after line 8, insert the following:

"(5) If the insurer fails to comply with any provision of this Subpart or a lawful order of the commissioner.

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§369.1. Reinstatement of license

A. A vehicle mechanical breakdown insurer whose license has been suspended for failure to pay the annual renewal fee required by R.S. 22:362 shall have his license reinstated if the annual renewal fee is paid within ninety days of the date of suspension, provided all other requirements of this Subpart have been met.

B. A vehicle mechanical breakdown insurer whose license has been suspended for failure to file the annual audited financial statement required by R.S. 22:366 shall have his license reinstated if the annual audited financial statement is filed within ninety days of the deadline for filing provided in R.S. 22:366."

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 660— BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:382 and 389(A)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 22:389(A)(5) and 389.1, relative to property residual value insurers; to provide that a property residual value insurer shall notify the commissioner of insurance within sixty days of any material change in its ownership, control, or other circumstance affecting its qualifications for a license; to permit the commissioner of insurance to levy a fine; to authorize the commissioner to levy a fine, suspend, or revoke a license under certain circumstances; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to pay the annual license renewal fee; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to file the annual audited financial statement; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 660 by Representative Pierre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(introductory paragraph)," insert "and to enact R.S. 22:389(A)(5) and 389.1"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "fine;" insert "to authorize the commissioner to levy a fine, suspend, or revoke a license under certain

circumstances; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to pay the annual license renewal fee; to provide for reinstatement of license for failure to file the annual audited financial statement;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 10, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 22:389(A)(5) and 369.1 are enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 9, after "dollars" insert "per violation"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 11, after "R.S. 49:961" delete the period "." and delete the remainder of the line

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete line 12 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "for any of the following:"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, after line 13, insert the following:

"(5) If the insurer fails to comply with any provision of this Subpart or a lawful order of the commissioner.

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§389.1. Reinstatement of license

A. A property residual value insurer whose license has been suspended for failure to pay the annual renewal fee required by R.S. 22:382 shall have his license reinstated if the annual renewal fee is paid within ninety days of the date of suspension, provided all other requirements of this Subpart have been met.

B. A property residual value insurer whose license has been suspended for failure to file the annual audited financial statement required by R.S. 22:386 shall have his license reinstated if the annual audited financial statement is filed within ninety days of the deadline for filing provided in R.S. 22:386."

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 667— BY REPRESENTATIVE SIMON AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1068, 1098.5, 1102, 1103(A)(introductory paragraph), 1104(1), 1105(1), (2), and (5) through (7), 1107, 1108, 1141(B), 1142(E) and (G), 1143, 1146 through 1148, 1149(A), 1150, 1151, 1152(C), 1153(A), 1231(introductory paragraph) and (21), 1231.2, 1232.3(A)(1), (2), (6), and (8), 1232.4(5), (8), and (9), 1232.5(B), 1232.6(5) and (14), 1232.8, 1232.9(3) through (5), (7), and (8), 1232.10, 1232.11, 1233(A), 1235(A)(2)(b), (3)(a), (B)(2), and (D)(1)(e), 1235.1(B)(1) and (4), 1235.2(C)(3)(a), 1235.4(B)(1) and (2)(a) through (d), 1236, 1236.1(A) and (B), 1236.2(C)(2) and (4)(a)(vi), 1236.4(C)(2), 1236.7(B)(1) and (2), 1236.12(introductory paragraph), 1236.13(C), 1236.14, 1236.22, 1236.24, 1236.25(A), 1236.26(6), 1236.29, 1296, 1299(A) and (B)(1)(c), 1299.1(A)(3), 1299.2, 1299.3, 1299.4.2(C), 1299.24(B) and (C), 1299.25, 1299.27(A) and (C), 1299.28, 1299.29, 1299.30.1(G), 1299.34.5(B)(2) and (3), (C), (D)(introductory paragraph), and (E), 1299.35.1(introductory paragraph) and (7), 1299.35.2(D)(introductory paragraph) and (5), 1299.35.2.1, 1299.35.3(B), 1299.35.5(B)(3)(b)(ii),

1299.35.5.1(B)(2), 1299.35.6(A)(4)(b), (B)(1) and (3)(a) and (h), (C)(1)(d), (D)(1), (G)(1), and (H)(1), 1299.35.7(A)(introductory paragraph), (B)(introductory paragraph), (C), and (D), 1299.35.8(A)(1) through (5), 1299.35.10(A)(18) and (26), 1299.35.11, 1299.35.12, 1299.35.14(A), 1299.35.19(introductory paragraph) and (1), 1299.39(E)(1) and (2), (H), and (K), 1299.39.1(A)(1)(a) and (C)(1), 1299.39.2(introductory paragraph), (1), and (4), 1299.39.3(D)(introductory paragraph) and (7), 1299.39.5(A), (E), and (F), 1299.39.6(O)(2), 1299.39.7(A), (B), and (F), 1299.41(A)(1) through (3), (5), (8), (10), (19), (E)(1), (G), and (L), 1299.42(A)(2), (B)(1) and (3)(a), (C), and (D)(5), 1299.43(A)(3) through (5) and (D), 1299.44(A)(1)(b), (f), and (7)(a), (B)(2)(d) and (e), (C)(5)(b) and (8), and (D)(1)(e) and (2)(b)(ii), (xi), and (xv), 1299.45(A)(2), 1299.47(A)(1)(g), (C)(introductory paragraph), and (N)(1)(b)(ii) and (iii), 1299.48(A)(introductory paragraph), 1299.49(introductory paragraph), (1), and (4), 1299.50 through 1299.52, 1299.53(D), 1299.54, 1299.55, 1299.57, 1299.58(C), (E), and (F), 1299.58.1(A)(4) and (B), 1299.58.2(4), (5), (7), and (12), 1299.58.3(C)(3)(a), 1299.58.5(A)(1), 1299.58.6(C), 1299.58.7(A) through (D), 1299.58.8(A) through (C), 1299.58.10(A), (B)(1), (2), and (5), and (C) through (E), 1299.62(B)(introductory paragraph) and (2), 1299.63(A)(introductory paragraph) and (2) and (B), 1299.64, 1299.64.1(B), 1299.64.2(introductory paragraph), (2), and (7), 1299.64.3(C) and (D), 1299.64.4(A) through (C), 1299.64.5(A) and (B)(2), 1299.64.6(A), (B)(1), (2), and (5), (C), and (D), 1299.74(B) and (D), 1299.75, 1299.76(A), 1299.77, 1299.80(6), 1299.88(C)(1), 1299.96(B)(1), 1299.97.1, 1299.97.3(introductory paragraph), 1299.97.4(B)(3), 1299.113(A)(3), 1299.114(1), 1299.131(A)(introductory paragraph) and (3) and (C)(3), 1299.182(introductory paragraph), 1299.184(A)(introductory paragraph) and (D), 1299.186(B)(3)(introductory paragraph), (E), (F), and (H), 1299.193(4)(b), 1300.6(A), 1300.11, 1300.13(E)(1), 1300.14(D), 1300.15(A), (B)(4), and (F)(3), 1300.51(3)(g), 1300.53(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 1300.57(A)(4), 1300.72, 1300.90(A), 1300.112(3) and (8) through (12), 1300.113(A) and (C), 1300.114, 1300.131, 1300.132(A)(1), 1300.144(A)(2)(b), 1300.197(A), 1300.198(B)(1), 1300.351, 1300.262(A)(1) and (B)(1)(a) and (2)(a), and 1300.263(A)(2) and (C), and to recodify Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 in its entirety, relative to the organization of certain laws pertaining to health; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to redesignate the current provisions of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 into a new format and number scheme, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1061 through 1300.37, without changing the text of the provisions except as provided herein; to make technical and conforming changes to reflect the format and number scheme provided herein; to direct the Louisiana State Law Institute to change references to segments of law in existing statutes and codes as necessary to reflect the redesignation of such segments as provided herein; to provide for corrections in names of agencies, offices, institutions, and other entities and for other technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 667 by Representative Simon

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 9, line 25, delete "knowledgable" and insert in lieu thereof "knowledgeable"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 71, delete line 6 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"~~PART II. FEDERAL~~ PART II. FEDERALLY QUALIFIED"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 91, at the end of line 4, delete "STATE EMPLOYED" and insert in lieu thereof "STATE-EMPLOYED"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 116, line 6, delete "R.S. 40:1101 through 1101.4" and insert in lieu thereof "R.S. 40:1103.1 through 1103.4"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 117, line 5, delete "through" and insert in lieu thereof "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 120, line 2, after "entitled" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof ""Louisiana Physician Order for Scope of Treatment".

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 120, line 16, delete ""Uniform" and insert in lieu thereof ""Louisiana Medical"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 125, line 24, after "R.S. 40:1235.1" delete the comma "," and delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "and entitled "Malpractice Coverage; State-Employed Physicians, Dentists, and Professional Nurses".

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 126, line 18, after "Limit" and before "Methodology" insert "Financing"

On motion of Rep. Simon, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Simon, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 721—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUVAL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1573(I)(1) and (3), (J), (K), (L), and (M), relative to insurance producer continuing education requirements; provides that the commissioner shall grant twenty-four continuing education credits to a licensed producer who is a member of the legislature during the member's term; provides that a licensed producer who actively participates in a state or national insurance association may receive up to four continuing education credits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Insurance.

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On motion of Rep. Cromer, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 736—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2018.1(A), (B), and (G), relative to the Louisiana Commission on HIV, AIDS, and Hepatitis C; to change the composition and membership of the commission; to provide for an extension of the termination date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 736 by Representative James

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, change "thirty-four" to "thirty-five"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, change "Twenty-one" to "Twenty-two"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"(k) The president of the Louisiana State Medical Society or his designee."

On motion of Rep. Simon, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Simon, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 746—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2707 and 2714(E) and (I), relative to tanning facilities; to prohibit the use of tanning equipment by persons under eighteen years of age; to provide for notice requirements; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 746 by Representative Moreno

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 3, after "persons" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "under eighteen years of age;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "person" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof "under eighteen years of age"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 14, delete "younger"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 6, delete "17 YEARS OF AGE OR YOUNGER" and insert in lieu thereof "UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE"

On motion of Rep. Simon, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Simon, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 751—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.4(C), relative to forfeiture of good time; to amend the eligibility requirements for the restoration of previously forfeited time; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 752—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:133.6(B)(1), relative to the crime of filing a false lien; to expand the crime of filing a false lien against a law enforcement or court officer; to amend the definition of "court officer" to include clerk of court, recorder of mortgages, and their deputies; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

On motion of Rep. Lopinto, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 796—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2161(A)(10), (14), and (17), to enact R.S. 22:2161(A)(7) and (9), and to repeal R.S. 22:2161(A)(21), relative to the Louisiana Health Care Commission; to make changes to the membership of the commission; to provide for nominations to the commission; to change references to certain organizations of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 796 by Representative Cromer

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete line 2 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"To amend and reenact R.S. 22:2161(A)(10), (14), and (17), to enact R.S. 22:2161(A)(7) and (9), and to repeal R.S. 22:2161(A)(21), relative to the Louisiana Health Care Commission; to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, change "add" to "make changes"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "commission;" insert "to change references to certain organizations of the commission;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete line 6 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"Section 1: R.S. 22:2161(A)(10), (14), and (17) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 22:2161(A)(7) and (9) are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, after line 18, insert the following:

"(10) ~~Louisiana State Program of the American Association of Retired Persons~~ AARP Louisiana.

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(14) ~~American Association of Retired Persons~~ AARP, the nominee of which shall be a volunteer representative.

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(17) ~~Louisiana Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors~~ NAIFA Louisiana.

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Section 2. R.S. 22:2161(A)(21) is hereby repealed in its entirety."

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Cromer, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Edwards, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent at this time.

**Introduction of Resolutions,
House and House Concurrent**

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A RESOLUTION

To recognize the Tangipahoa Parish Fair as the oldest fair in Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Edwards, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following entitled House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading and, under a suspension of the rules, were referred to committee as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1031—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2014-2015 to be used to pay the consent judgment in favor of Louise Griffin in the suit entitled "Larry F. Mitchell v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development, et al" consolidated with "Louise Griffin v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1032—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2014-2015 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Joan Beauregard v. State of Louisiana, through Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

March 13, 2014

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Enrollment to submit the following report:

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 20—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Susy Lemoine of Evangeline Parish upon her receipt of a 2014 Women with Heart Award from the St. Landry-Evangeline United Way Women's Leadership Council.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 21—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Joseph Sonnier, principal of Port Barre Elementary School, for his extraordinary achievements and contributions.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22—

BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A RESOLUTION

To commend Sister Vera Butler upon being named Hibernian of the Year by the Louisiana Division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BARROW AND HUNTER
A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, March 13, 2014, as the thirtieth annual Red and White Day at the Louisiana Legislature.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
A RESOLUTION

To commend River Oaks Square Arts Center upon the celebration of its thirtieth birthday of serving the community of Alexandria.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD RITCHIE
Chairman

The above House Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

Leave of Absence

Rep. Thompson - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Billiot, at 9:28 A.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Monday, March 17, 2014, at 4:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 4:00 P.M., Monday, March 17, 2014.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

Committee Meeting Notices

The following committees posted notices as follows:

Committee on Appropriations

Will meet at: 9:00 am Date: Monday, March 17, 2014

Location: Committee Room 5

Overview and discussion regarding the appropriations proposed in House Bill No. 1 for the following:

The Department of Veterans Affairs

The Department of Justice

The Department of Public Service

The Department of Agriculture and Forestry

The Department of Insurance

JAMES R. "JIM" FANNIN
Chairman

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

Will meet at: 10:00 am Date: Monday, March 17, 2014

Location: Committee Room 4

HB 102 FOIL CIVIL/PROCEDURE Provides relative to the title of proceedings for continuing tutorships

HB 123 SEABAUGH CIVIL/MOTIONS Provides relative to service of motions for summary judgment

HB 181 GAINES CIVIL/RESTRaining ORDER Provides relative to civil injunctions and restraining orders

HB 218 TALBOT CIVIL/RESTRaining ORDER Provides relative to civil injunctions and restraining orders

HB 241 ARMES WILDLIFE & FISHERIES CMN Makes a technical correction to remove the effective date reference contained in the ballot language for the proposed constitutional amendment that would specify certain geographical qualifications for members of the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission

HB 445 LANDRY, NANCY CHILDRENS CODE Provides for court-ordered criminal background checks in connection with certain adoptions and provides for the petition for intrafamily adoptions

HB 524 LANDRY, NANCY CONDOMINIUMS Provides relative to the Louisiana Condominium Act

HB 567 SHADOIN BONDS Provides relative to filing of bond or other security in proceedings under the Private Works Act

HB 599 ABRAMSON CIVIL/MOTIONS Provides relative to motions for summary judgment

HB 607 ABRAMSON CIVIL/PROCEDURE Provides for continuous revision of the Code of Civil Procedure

HB 615 ABRAMSON PROPERTY/SERVITUDES Provides for utility servitudes for enclosed estates

HB 619 ABRAMSON CIVIL/PROCEDURE Provides relative to the Uniform Interstate Deposition and Discovery Act

HB 620 ABRAMSON TRUSTS Provides relative to the delegation of authority of a trustee

HB 622 ABRAMSON CHILDREN/TUTORSHIP Provides relative to tutorship proceedings

HB 738 LANDRY, NANCY MARRIAGE Provides relative to notice of certain expenses under the Covenant of Marriage Act

NEIL C. ABRAMSON
Chairman

Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works

Will meet at: 10:00 am Date: Monday, March 17, 2014

Location: Committee Room 3

HB 284 ST. GERMAIN SUNSET LAW Re-creates the Dept. of Transportation and Development

HB 446 LEGER TRANSPORTATION Provides for rail fixed guideway systems

HB 563 LORUSSO MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES Creates the "Mount Carmel Academy" special prestige license plate

- HB 655 MACK MOTOR CARRIERS** Requires a person applying for a commercial driver's license to provide a current medical examiner's certificate
- HB 860 MACK MOTOR CARRIERS** Provides for the registration expiration date for certain commercial trucks and trailers
- HB 898 GAINES PORTS/SOUTH LOUISIANA** Increases the membership of the Port of South Louisiana Commission
- HB 960 GAROFALO MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS** Provides for notifications to habitual offenders
- HB 963 GAROFALO MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC** Prohibits novelty or unofficial credentials intended to simulate valid state or federal credentials
- HB 967 GAROFALO MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC** Provides for international driver's licenses

KAREN GAUDET ST. GERMAIN
Chairwoman

Weekly Committee Schedules

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

Wednesday, March 19, 2014
Committee Room 6
9:30 am

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 15 JAMES CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Adds licensed professional counselors to the list of persons who may serve on a clinical team appointed in lieu of a sanity commission
- HB 55 LOPINTO CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Revises provisions of law regarding expungement
- HB 104 GREENE LAW ENFORCE/CRIM JUS COM** Provides for the composition of the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice Commission
- HB 212 LEBAS CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES** Adds certain compounds to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law
- HB 227 HENRY CRIME/BATTERY** Amends penalties for the crime of battery of a school or recreation athletic contest official
- HB 229 MACK CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES** Adds substances to the listing of Schedule I controlled dangerous substances
- HB 259 CHAMPAGNE CRIMINAL/RECORDS** Provides relative to arrest records provided to institutions of postsecondary education requesting criminal history information on a prospective employee
- HB 278 HAVARD CORRECTIONS** Adds "correctional facility employee" to the list of specific victims of the crime of first degree murder

- HB 293 ADAMS GAMBLING** Prohibits gambling by electronic sweepstakes device
- HB 308 SEABAUGH CRIME** Increases the possible term of imprisonment for the crime of aggravated flight from an officer
- HB 326 LOPINTO PAROLE** Provides relative to the district attorney's participation in parole hearings
- HB 330 LOPINTO MENTAL HEALTH** Authorizes the use of electronic means for the delivery of an order for protective custody and transportation to the sheriff
- HB 337 THOMPSON, J EXPLOSIVES** Provides with respect to the regulation of explosives
- HB 461 BADON CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES** Repeals drug traffic loitering statute
- HB 530 PYLANT CRIMINAL/VICTIMS** Provides relative to the crimes of incest and aggravated incest
- HB 743 MORENO CRIMINAL/JUSTICE** Adds two voting members and one nonvoting member to the La. Sentencing Commission

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JOSEPH P. LOPINTO III
Chairman

Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Wednesday, March 19, 2014
Committee Room 2
9:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 68 BURNS, TIM ADMIN LAW/DIVISION** Provides that certain appeals and hearings formerly conducted by the bureau of appeals of the Dept. of Health and Hospitals shall be conducted by the division of administrative law
- HB 193 RICHARD ELECTIONS/CANDIDATES** Provides that a person who is not affiliated with any political party is designated as "independent" instead of "no party" on voter registration records, a notice of candidacy, and a ballot
- HB 203 BROSSETT ELECTIONS** Provides for the conduct of early voting on the Sunday during the early voting period from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- HB 235 RICHARD ELECTIONS** Provides relative to use of public funds to disseminate certain information relative to a proposition appearing on an election ballot
- HB 283 SMITH, PATRICIA VOTING/REGISTRATION** Provides relative to registration and voting by a person convicted of a felony
- HB 296 CONNICK ELECTIONS** Provides for an automatic recount in elections when the number of absentee by mail and early voting ballots could make a difference in the outcome of the election

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- HB 313 CHAMPAGNE ELECTED OFFICIALS/TERMS** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides term limits for certain statewide elected officials
- HB 354 CONNICK ELECTIONS** Provides for the use of provisional ballots in all elections
- HB 374 GEYMANN BESE** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for the election of all members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education
- HB 443 HUVAL SECRETARY OF STATE** Requires the secretary of state to compare the names of candidates with certain criminal history records and to inform the district attorney of his findings under certain circumstances
- HB 497 ARNOLD ELECTION CODE** Provides for the selection of commissioners who serve during early voting in the same manner as commissioners who serve on election day
- HB 498 ARNOLD REGISTRARS OF VOTERS** Provides relative to the tabulation and counting of absentee by mail and early voting ballots
- HB 501 BISHOP, WESLEY VOTING/REGISTRATION** Provides for voter registration at age sixteen
- HB 737 JEFFERSON VOTING/REGISTRATION** Requires certain reports regarding satisfaction of orders of imprisonment for conviction of a felony
- HB 740 LEOPOLD CORONERS** Provides for qualifications for coroners
- HB 857 BROADWATER ELECTIONS/SPECIAL** Provides relative to the filling of vacancies in certain local and municipal offices
- HB 970 JEFFERSON VOTERS/VOTING** Provides relative to voting by persons who are incarcerated

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TIMOTHY G. "TIM" BURNS
Chairman

Committee on Insurance

Wednesday, March 19, 2014
Committee Room 3
9:30 AM

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 286 THIBAUT INSURANCE/LIFE** Requires life insurers to notify insureds relative to conversion option
- HB 320 GREENE INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE** Requires notice to an employee when an employer has declined certain insurance coverage
- HB 435 CROMER INSURANCE** Provides relative to professional employer organizations
- HB 454 SEABAUGH INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE** Provides relative to settlement or payment of a claim under a vehicle liability insurance policy

- HB 475 JOHNSON INSURANCE** Repeals provisions relative to dental referral plans
- HB 502 BURFORD INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE** Provides for a twenty percent discount on automobile insurance for retired members of the armed forces.
- HB 665 SEABAUGH INSURANCE** Relative to liability limits
- HB 926 GAINES INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE** Prohibits insurance companies from using claims made by an insured for damage to an auto as a result of a natural disaster to drop automobile insurance

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GREGORY CROMER
Chairman

Committee on Natural Resources and Environment

Wednesday, March 19, 2014
Committee Room 4
10:30 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 361 JONES, SAM PROPERTY/PUBLIC** Provides for the authority to transfer or lease certain state property in St. Mary Parish
- HB 416 LAMBERT FISHING** Assigns to the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission management responsibility for sustainability of freshwater and saltwater fisheries
- HB 440 HARRISON FISHING/SHRIMP** Relative to size and configuration of skimmer nets
- HB 518 HUVAL PROPERTY/PUBLIC** Provides for the transfer of certain state property in St. Martin Parish
- HB 523 LAMBERT FISHING/RECREATIONAL** Provides for possession limits for certain species of bass caught in saltwater areas of the state
- HB 913 LEOPOLD FISHING/FINFISH** Creates the Louisiana Finfish Task Force

OTHER BUSINESS:

Approval of meeting minutes from the 2013 Regular Session: April 17, April 24, May 1, May 8, May 14, and May 29

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GORDON E. DOVE, SR.
Chairman